

Please amend the abstract at page 83, lines 1-13, as follows:

~~ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE~~

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A sheet-shaped medium processing apparatus ~~of the present invention is provided~~
~~with including~~ a pair of arranging members ~~102a, 102b, and these~~ The arranging members
~~102a, 102b~~ have both an arranging function for arranging paper [[S]] piled on a tray [[12]]
after being discharged in a discharge direction [[“a”]] from a paper discharge roller [[3]] at
~~only a~~ a fixed position, and a sorting/arranging function for arranging the papers [[S]] grouped
together at a different position in a direction (~~direction perpendicular to paper face~~)
perpendicular to the discharge direction “a” ~~in every copy of~~ for grouping together a
predetermined number of ~~the paper S papers~~. ~~For that reason, it is possible to conduct~~
~~sorting/arranging action by using small~~ The apparatus arranges and sorts using low drive
power and ~~to arrange~~ arranges the paper S ~~in with~~ with high precision regardless of largeness of
~~piled~~ the amount of ~~the~~ paper [[S]] on the tray [[12]].